

REMARKS

Claims 1 and 2 have been rejected under 35 U.S.C. 103(a) as being unpatentable over Hinze (4,402,767) in view of Costin (3,881,918) and Smith (5,002,834). Claims 1, 4 and 5 have been rejected under 35 U.S.C. 103(a) as being unpatentable over Liu (5,725,691) in view of Jensen (3,600,146) and McGarry (5,914,439). Claim 3 was objected to as being dependent upon a rejected base claim, but was indicated as being allowable if rewritten in independent form including all of the limitations of the base claim and any intervening claims. Instead of rewriting claim 3 to include all of the limitations of claims 1 and 2, claim 1 has been rewritten in to include all of the limitations of claims 2 and 3 and should now be in condition for allowance. Claims 2 to 5 have been canceled.

Respectfully submitted,



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